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Sir:

This is a request for an application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 1.53(f)  
Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s) Rocco Mertsching, et al

For: REAR-VIEW MIRROR FOR A VEHICLE,  
WITH A REFLECTIVE SURFACE

Enclosed are:

- [X] 12 pages, Abstract, specification, claims; with unsigned Declaration (1 page),  
[X] 3 soft 8.5"x11" size sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-6) attached to application,  
[X] Certified copy of German Patent Application 100 52 751.5  
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